

CHURCH COUNCIL CONDEMNS K. K. K.

"Methods Not Only Wrong, but Dangerous," Says Dr. Cavert

GOVERNMENT UNDERMINED

Washington, Oct. 16.—Condemnation resolutions aimed at the Ku Klux Klan and other masked and secret bodies have been passed by the Administrative Committee of the Federal Council of Churches and were made public today.

In making the resolution public the Rev. Samuel McCrea Cavert, one of the two general secretaries, said:

"This action was taken as a result of statements made at a time that the Ku Klux Klan and other masked and secret bodies are acting in behalf of the Protestant Churches of the United States. While the Ku Klux Klan is not mentioned by name in the statement, members of the Administrative Committee had it in mind in particular.

"The motives of the Ku Klux Klan and similar organizations may be of the highest, but members of the Administrative Committee believe their methods are not only wrong but also dangerous from every standpoint. Action by the committee is significant when it is realized that thirty great communities with more than 20,000 members are affiliated with the Federal Council."

Text of the Resolution

The resolution is as follows:

"The Administrative Committee of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America records its strong conviction that the recent rise of organizations whose members are masked and whose activities are of a menacing religious, racial and political nature, is fraught with grave consequences to the church and to society at large.

"Any organization whose activities tend to stir private and racial hatred against race is consistent neither with the ideals of the churches, nor with true patriotism, however vigorous or sincere may be its professions of religion and Americanism.

"Evils of lawlessness and immorality, however serious, can never be remedied by secret, private and unadvised action. They must be handled by the State and by the recognized forces of education.

Undermine Respect for Law

"For groups of individuals wearing masks and concealing their identity to pass judgment on men and women and to carry out humiliating measures of their own devising, is subversive of every principle of civilized government, and tends to undermine the respect for established agencies of law and order.

"Any body of men, unidentified and banded together to achieve in a particular spirit the purpose of a sectional, political, racial or sectarian group, is almost certain to fall into the very evils of mob rule against which the spirit of Christian democracy and Americanism makes vigorous and constant protest.

"Even if they resort to no unworthy deeds themselves, their practice of carrying on their plans in disguise and under the cover of darkness encourages others to do likewise, and so affords the opportunity for all manner of lawlessness to be carried on with impunity from arrest by punishment.

Should Check Their Spread

"However true it is that in some communities religious organizations seek a control over municipal administration which is undesirable and highly undesirable, yet for another body of men, secret and outbanded, to undertake to control is equally intolerable, even if they seek with all sincerity to wrest it from the control of other groups.

"The Administrative Committee of the Federal Council of the Churches is opposed to any movement which overrides the processes of law and order, and which tends to complicate and make more difficult the work of co-operation between the various political, racial and religious groups in the Republic.

"No such movements have the right to speak in the name of Protestantism, and the churches are urged to exert influence to check their spread."

GARLAND SATISFIES HIS MENTAL NEED

Millionaire Socialist Turns to Soulmate as Wife Departs

LOVE ENTIRELY PLATONIC

Boston, Oct. 16.—The mystery surrounding the sudden departure for Europe of Mary Wynn Garland, wife of Charles Garland, millionaire North Carver idealist, was solved Saturday night when it was learned that the young farmer hermit has returned to one of the objects of his former loves.

Mr. Garland is now living under the same roof with Doris Benson, twenty-year-old ward of the Garland family, and who a year ago frankly confessed that, although she loved Garland, she believed that her love was "hopeless."

Garland at that time had astounded the world by his admission that he had just aside his legal wife and his legal millions for his "soul mate," Lillian Conrad, beautiful young Philadelphia artist.

Lillian Conrad admitted that the Lillian Conrad chapter in his life was closed. For the present, he added, his love for women, as he understood love a year ago, is closed. And "platonic" love has taken its place. Doris Benson, he informs the public, is merely a "mental mate."

"I am searching for a better understanding of human nature and a more honest basis for human relationships. So far I think I have been successful.

"My need now is for a mental mate, a friend, a companion. I have no desire for woman in the physical sense, but I want the comrade of the mind, an intellectual, a platonic relationship.

"This need I have satisfied. Miss Benson, who is living here and sharing my theories, understands this relationship. We work together, we think together, we satisfy the claims of our individual soul, and these are the highest claims.

"If I had it to do all over again I would do just the same.

"When I married my wife I needed what she could give me. I prized in her those qualities which exalted and inspired me.

"There came a time when it was time to seek another and greater companionship.

"This I found with Lillian Conrad. She gave me the deepest, the most profound inspiration. She was my mate, in both physical and mental sense. With her, too, came a time when we had given each other all that we could.

"Now I have a new need. Miss Benson satisfies that need. It is not for a physical mate, it is for a companion, a mental mate. I am happy, and so is she. We understand each other.

"And now another feminine star has appeared on Garland's horizon. Miss Alice Edgerton, blonde, pretty and athletic, who says she also is his "mental mate," is working side by side with Miss Benson on Garland's Cape Cod farm, and shares with her the young hermit's life.

"If I am staying here with Charles Garland because I admire him, and believe his theories should be carried out," Miss Edgerton said yesterday.

She and Miss Benson are experimenting with Garland in a new "platonic love colony," and are supplying for him the mental stimulus which he claims he needs to replace the inspiration of his lately discarded Lillian Conrad.

Like Miss Benson, Miss Edgerton is a college graduate, and a radical idealist. She is content, she admits, to share Miss Benson's "mental claim" on Garland.

"Miss Benson and I are working an ideal experiment in human companionship," she said. "The entire experiment is on a platonic basis. We work here in complete intellectual sympathy. We believe in a life unhampered by capitalistic motives. We are very happy living the simple life of the soil."

IRISH BOMB FAILS

Attempt to Kill Lord Mayor of Belfast Prevented by Police

Belfast, Oct. 16.—(By A. P.)—An intensive search is being conducted by the police for an unknown man, who, on Saturday night attempted to assassinate the Lord Mayor of Belfast, Sir William Coates, by placing a bomb in the latter's residence. But for the vigilance of the police the assassin would have succeeded, and as it was he barely escaped in the darkness.

The Lord Mayor lives at Carrickfergus, the ancestral home of Stonewall Jackson, on Belfast Lough, nine miles northeast of the city, where police are constantly on duty for his protection.

About midnight Saturday night the guards observed a figure moving near the house. The watchers' suspicions aroused, they called upon the intruder to halt. There was no response to the challenge and after it was repeated the constables fired at the figure, whereupon it vanished.

A search revealed near the hall door a parcel containing a bomb loaded with coarse black powder and flat-nosed bullets, with a fuse attached.



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Demand Larkin's Freedom

New York, Oct. 16.—(By A. P.)—A mass-meeting called by the United Irish Societies of Greater New York adopted a resolution last night protesting against the continued imprisonment of James Larkin, Irish labor leader, who is now serving a prison term following his conviction in this State on a charge of criminal anarchy.

CLAN FIGHTS BOOTLEGGERS

Kislegle Will Swear Out Warrants in Sacramento Today

Sacramento, Calif., Oct. 16.—(By A. P.)—Warrants for the arrest of several alleged bootleggers will be sworn to today by Edgar Fuller, Kislegle of the Ku Klux Klan. He made this announcement when he turned over to the police department large quantities of liquor of many varieties which he said had been received Saturday night and yesterday from grocers, cafe men and soft-drink merchants in Sacramento.

Fuller said this was "the first act of the Ku Klux Klan in making Sacramento too hot for bootleggers."

He claimed he had 175 men combing the city for places where illicit liquor is distributed and arrested the liquor he has in his possession today was the first conviction the Ku Klux Klan intended to turn over to the police.

MINE CASE VENUE VALID

Defense Loses Point in West Virginia Murder Prosecutions

Wellsburg, W. Va., Oct. 16.—(By A. P.)—The defense motion for a change of venue in the cases growing out of the Cliftonville mine battle on July 17 last, in which Sheriff H. H. Duval and six others were killed, was overruled by Circuit Judge J. B. Soumerville here today.

FARMER SHOTS TWO

One Killed, Another Wounded by Bingen Man Resisting Arrest

Bethlehem, Pa., Oct. 16.—(By A. P.)—Harley Gross, forty-two years old, was shot dead and Constable John Edwin Beck, probably fatally wounded by a farmer near Bingen, last night when the latter was resisting arrest after attempting to kill his wife, according to the authorities.

Henninger is still at large. Gross and Rothrock reside at Bingen. Henner is said to have been drinking heavily.

POWER BY RADIO PREDICTED

Tests Indicate Transmission From Niagara to New York Feasible

New York, Oct. 16.—(By A. P.)—Transmission of power from Niagara Falls to New York by radio is a possibility of the future in the opinion of Dr. E. F. W. Aitoff, chief engineer of the Radio Corporation.

This prediction followed the success of a sixteen-hour test of electron tubes in place of transformers in transmitting wireless messages across the Atlantic Ocean.

CZECH COAL STRIKE ENDS

Miners Accept Wage Reduction of 25 Per Cent

Prague, Czechoslovakia, Oct. 16.—Forty-three thousand coal miners in the Ostrava-Karvin region, who went on strike last Tuesday, have agreed to return to work today with a 25 per cent reduction in wages and a further reduction of 30 per cent on November 15.

The men also will work eight hours a day of six hours on Saturdays.

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Waters, Ebony... \$140	Apollo, Mahogany \$495	Weber, Rosewood... \$395
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Schomacker, Walnut... 185	Schomacker, Mahogany... 375	Decker Bros., Rosewood... 150
Steinway, Rosewood... 195	Weber Pianola, Mahogany... 600	Henry F. Miller, Rosewood... 165
Pease, Mahogany... 235		

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New Felt Hat with great velvet rose—\$12.00. A new Scratched Felt Hat with velvet puff—\$15.00. Novelty velvet with novelty feather—\$10.00. A mushroom of hatter's plush with dashing velvet bow—\$14.00.

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Wonderful Assortments of Women's Coats Now Ready

We're all ready for the great rush! Warm weather may endure for a while, but cool weather comes surely and suddenly, and then—! Thousands of Coats are ready for immediate selection—arranged for easy choosing, and plenty of saleswomen to give quick and pleasant attention.

Women's Smart Tweed Overcoats, \$20.00 to \$70.00
Plain and herringbone weaves in new grays and browns; superbly tailored, body and sleeves lined, or lined throughout. One of the new Tweeds sketched, \$22.50—another new shipment of these Coats for to-morrow; they are such good values we can hardly keep enough of them in stock.

Fresh Assortment of Capes, \$30.00 to \$150.00
A new purchase of Fur-collar capes at \$30.00 (see sketch) will come on the floor to-morrow; we sold every one in stock last week, in response to an advertisement—the value must certainly be satisfactory on inspection. Other Fur-collar Capes, \$45.00 to \$150.00, some at the higher prices lined with fur.

Hundreds of Fur-Trimmed Coats, \$25.00 to \$150.00
Coats with collar of fur, Coats with collar and cuffs of fur, and others with additional fur in panels or used in bands. Of various Bolivia weaves and the new velvety materials of the season in all the new colorings. Black, blue and brown taking the lead. All are beautifully silk-lined throughout. Many wrap effects, including the one sketched, \$55.00; also straight-line models, one sketched, \$75.00.

Plenty of Untrimmed Coats, \$16.50 to \$90.00
Including the plain-tailored dark tan cloakings, and dress Coats of fine new cloths made with draping or flowing sleeves, dressy scarf collars, and many distinctive new features.

Fur Fabric Balkan Blouses, \$60.00 and \$65.00

Women's Tailored Cloth Dresses to the Fore

A beautiful showing, to-morrow, of Tailored Cloth Dresses, two charming models sketched—one as straight and slim as a swaying reed, with the merest suggestion of drapery, \$40.00; the other is an elaborate afternoon model, \$97.50. Still others are on very decided coat lines or show the new circular tendencies. Severely tailored, embroidered, braided or tucked Dresses—scores and scores of new models of unusual style distinction. Prices \$35.00 to \$97.50.

Silk Dresses, \$50.00 to \$80.00

So many, many new models, developed in chinchilla satin, the fashionable matelasse and brocaded crepes and Canton crepe, some with single ornamental buckle, some touched with Paisley, others beaded or embroidered. Many dependent entirely upon their artistic draping for distinction—so many, many models, no description is adequate. Black, dark brown, cocoa and navy blue.

Exclusive Street, Afternoon and Evening Dresses, \$39.75

These Dresses are obtainable here only in Philadelphia. They are beauties, and you can judge of the line when we tell you there are plenty of the very scarce Velvet Dresses with long, close sleeves. Other Evening Dresses of the lovely light crepe Roma in exquisite shades, and Afternoon Dresses of chinchilla satin and crepe-back satin, some beaded and embroidered. All at \$39.75.

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Fabric Furs—\$8.00 to \$12.00
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A Pictorial Review Pattern of the model shown—35c

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Enroll to-morrow or any day.

Strawbridge & Clothier, Aisle 6, Fifth Street, and Aisle 7, Centre

The Fashionable Flat Crepe, \$3.35

This is one of the never Crepes, that has become highly fashionable in a very short time, because of the beauty and unusualness of the finish, and its adaptability to the new draperies and slim, straight lines.

The Crepe in this lot is of a particularly handsome quality—a quality that cannot be duplicated at anywhere near this price.

In white, black, navy blue, brown and an excellent assortment of the new autumn tints. Width, 40 in.—\$3.35 a yard.

N. B.—The lot is not large.

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Cretonnes at 25c to \$2.50

From our own country and abroad, we have collected these beautiful new autumn Cretonnes for every use—Cretonnes for draperies, cushions and fancy work. All the desirable weaves and colorings, from a heavy tapestry-like Cretonne in richly subdued shades to a soft-finish weave in brilliant tropical patterns. Flowers, stripes, birds and conventional figures are a few representative designs.

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Strawbridge & Clothier, Third Floor, Centre

1500 Pairs of Fine Silk Stockings at \$1.25

Full-fashioned lustre-strand Silk Stockings, of an excellent grade; mercerized tops and soles. Black and white. Very slight imperfections.

Strawbridge & Clothier, Aisle 4, Centre